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CHEESE GRADERS MEMORANDUM NO. 9

To: ALL CHEESE GRADERS

From: Rob R. Slocum, Senior Marketing Specialist, Dairy and Poultry

Subject: Cheese must be packed with scale boards.

Reports have been received from destination points that cheese delivered to the Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation is arriving at destination without scale boards or without required number of scale boards. As a result, difficulty has been experienced with cheese sticking to the covers or bottoms of the boxes and when two cheese are packed in the same box by the cheese sticking together.

Your attention is again directed to paragraph 6 of Announcement FSC-758. A part of this paragraph reads as follows: "All cheese delivered to FSCC shall be packed, with a scale board next to the top and bottom of each individual cheese, in types described in FSC-1714, etc." This provision means that if a single cheese is packed to a box, two scale boards must be used, one above and one below the cheese. If two cheese are packed to a box, three scale boards must be used, one on the top, one on the bottom and one between the two cheese.

Please check carefully on the use of scale boards in packaging cheese in order that the difficulty experienced in this connection may be eliminated.

Rob R. Slocum

